

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mohammad R. Marzabadi, et al.
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For: SECONDARY AMINO ANILINIC PIPERIDINES AS MCH1
ANTAGONISTS AND USES THEREOF

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 15, 2007 OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the October 15, 2007 Office Communication that was issued in connection with the captioned application. A response to the October 15, 2007 was due January 15, 2008. Applicants are concurrently filing a petition for a one-month extension of time in which to file the response to the October 15, 2007 Office Action and the fee for the extension of time is submitted herewith. With the extension of time, a response is due by February 15, 2008. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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